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Use of a Nucleic Acid-Binding Chemotherapeutic Agent, and a Pharmaceutical

Composition

## PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the office action mailed July 22, 2004, said period of response being extended from October 22, 2004 to November 22, 2004.

Our check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee.

Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 13-4213. A duplicate of this paper is being enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully Submitted

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